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REF: PARIS 17965

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2. WE HAVE EXAMINED FRENCH SUGGESTION THAT A FIVE-PARTY WORKING GROUP BE ESTABLISHED TO DEAL WITH THE PROBLEM OF CONTINUING SUPPORT OF THE AFRICAN FORCES IN SHABA ON A MORE OR LESS LONG-TERM BASIS.

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4. AT THE SAME TIME, AS UNDER SECRETARY NEWSOM INDICATED DURING THE JUNE 5 MEETING IN PARIS, WE RECOGNIZE THAT IN PUTTING THE FORCES IN PLACE THERE IS ALSO A RESPONSIBILITY TO SEE THAT THEY ARE ADEQUATELY SUPPLIED. WE ASSUME THAT IN ESTABLISHING THE LOGISTICAL SYSTEM THE FRENCH, IN COLLABORATION WITH THE MOROCCANS AND OTHER REPRESENTATIVES OF THE VARIOUS AFRICAN FORCES IN SHABA, WILL BE IN A POSITION

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